

Message Text

PAGE 01 NATO 04047 231814Z

47

ACTION EUR-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EURE-00 SSO-00 NSCE-00 INRE-00 USIE-00

IO-14 CIAE-00 PM-07 INR-11 L-03 ACDA-19 NSAE-00 PA-04

RSC-01 PRS-01 SP-03 TRSE-00 SAJ-01 NEA-14 SS-20 NSC-07

H-03 DRC-01 SAM-01 /136 W

----- 093639

O 231730Z JUL 74

FM USMISSION NATO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6870

SECDEF WASHDC IMMEDIATE

INFO ALL NATO CAPITALS IMMEDIATE 4296

AMEMBASSY ANKARA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY ATHENS IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY NICOSIA IMMEDIATE

UMISSION UN NEW YORK IMMEDIATE 1169

USDOCOSOUTH IMMEDIATE

USNMR SHAPE IMMEDIATE

CINCUSAFE IMMEDIATE

COMSIXTHFLT IMMEDIATE

USCINCEUR IMMEDIATE

USDOCOLANDSOUTHEAST IMMEDIATE

CINCUSNAVEUR IMMEDIATE

S E C R E T USNATO 4047

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, PFOR, CY, TU, GR, NATO

SUBJECT: CYPRUS: GREEKS ALEGE CEASE-FIRE VIOLATIONS BY TURKS

1. EVENING OF JULY 22 GREEK NATO AMBASSADOR CHORAFAS TELEPHONED RUMSFELD TO REPORT A NUMBER OF CEASE-FIRE VIOLATIONS BY TURKISH FORCES. THESE WERE MOSTLY IN NATURE OF AIR ATTACKS BY SMALL NUMBER OF TURKISH AIRCRAFT WHICH OCCURRED WITHIN FIRST FEW HOURS OF CEASE-FIRE IN VICINITY OF NICOSIA, AIRPORT, PENTADAKTYLOS, AND ST. HILARION FORTRESS; ALSO ONE GROUND ATTACK IN VICINITY OF KYRENIA. CHORAFAS ALSO ALLEGED HEAVY TURKISH REINFORCEMENTS INCLUDING
SECRET

PAGE 02 NATO 04047 231814Z

ARMOR AND ARTILLERY WERE LANDED ON ISLAND JUST PRIOR TO CEASE-FIRE. THE GREEK AMBASSADOR SAID HE WOULD REPORT THIS SAME INFORMATION TO LUNS AND THE UK CHARGE.

2. MORNING OF JULY 23, CHORAFAS SENT LETTER TO LUNS WITH COPY TO RUMSFELD AND OTHERS WHICH INCLUDED ALLEGATIONS OF ATROCITIES AND VIOLATIONS IN ADDITION TO THOSE HE HAD REPORTED PREVIOUS EVENING. THOSE SPECIFIED INCLUDED CONTINUED TURKISH REINFORCEMENTS BY SEA, GROUND ATTACKS IN NICOSIA AREA, AND BOMBING OF NICOSIA AIRPORT. CHORAFAS ALSO REPORTED THAT SEVEN HOURS AFTER CEASE-FIRE TURKISH CHARGE IN NICOSIA STILL HAD NOT SIGNED CEASE-FIRE DOCUMENTS, AND THAT EVIDENCE CIRCULATING IN UN PROVED THAT TURKISH AIR-FORCES USED NAPALAM DURING THE CONFLICT. OPERATIVE WORDS IN CHORAFAS' LETTER TO LUNS ARE "UNDER THOSE CIRCUMSTANCES, HOPES FOR REAL PEACE ARE VEY DIM, TO SAY THE LEAST, AND THE DANGER OF A WIDENING OF THE CRISIS CAN IN NO WAY BE EXCLUDED IF ALLIED GOVERNMENTS DO NOT TAKE IMMEDIATELY ALL STEPS THEY DETERMINE NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE RESPECT OF THE CEASE-FIRE BY THE TURKISH SIDE AND TO PUT AN END TO TURKISH REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE MAINLAND AND TURKISH ATROCITIES IN THE ISLAND."

3. LUNS HAS CALLED MEETING OF CRYPRUS GROUP AFTERNOON JULY 23 TO DISCUSS THESE PROTESTS AND OTHER MATTERS. RUMSFELD

SECRET

<< END OF DOCUMENT >>

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 11 JUN 1999
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 23 JUL 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: garlanwa
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974ATO04047
Document Source: ADS
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: 11652 GDS
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: NATO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740788/abbrywhi.tel
Line Count: 75
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: n/a
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: garlanwa
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 10 APR 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <10 APR 2002 by boyleja>; APPROVED <20-Sep-2002 by garlanwa>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: CYPRUS: GREEKS ALEGE CEASE-FIRE VIOLATIONS BY TURKS
TAGS: PINT, PFOR, CY, TU, GR, NATO
To: STATE
SECDEF INFO ALL NATO CAPITALS
ANKARA
ATHENS
NICOSIA
UMISSION UN N Y
USDOCOSOUTH

USNMR SHAPE
CINCUSAFE
COMSIXTHFLT
USCINCEUR
USDOCOLANDSOUTHEAST
CINCUSNAVEUR

Type: TE

Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005